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AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: NOVEMBER 7, 2007

DEPARTMENT: OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

DIRECTOR: DAVID RIGGLEMAN

SUBJECT:

RECOGNITION OF AUSTI BANKSTON FOR BEING NAMED A JUNIOR GIANTS SCHOLAR

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Submitted at meeting – Copy of Certificate of Achievement – Austi C. Bankston

Minutes:

No motion required. A presentation was made.

COUNCILMAN BARLOW introduced MR. TATE and recognized AUSTI BANKSTON, an eighth grader at Escobedo Middle School, for being named a Junior Giants Scholar. She was one of ten recipients of not only the Junior Giant scholarship, but also the Cleopatra Von scholarship to pay for her travels to Junior Giant Scholar events. She hopes to attend medical school and become a plastic surgeon, and COUNCILMAN BARLOW described how she intends to achieve her goals. He congratulated MS. BANKSTON and told her the Council is behind her all the way.

MR. TATE thanked the Council for allowing this recognition. He inidcated that he has been involved with this program for more than 10 years. The Giants put a lot of effort into the program and improve upon it every year. He presented MS. BANKSTON with an award and encouraged her to stay focused. COUNCILMAN BARLOW then presented her with a Certificate of Achievement.

RECESS: 9:36-9:45 A.M.